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Dear Sir:

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(X) A Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

(X) A PTO Form 1449 with twenty-six (26) references.

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing 26 references that are also enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,
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